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2. Second Interdepartmental Coordination Conference

The Second Coordination Conference of the National Interdepartmental Seminar (NIS) from 24-27 May came to the conclusion that the U.S. Government's concept of counterinsurgency should be redefined and made to reflect more accurately its policies. The Conference felt that the more positive aspects of U.S. policies should be emphasized. Further, that the United States should not be represented as opposing all change, especially when they have historically been the authentic champion of liberty. Since it was this latter image that should be presented to the world, the Conference concluded that the term "counterinsurgency" should be dropped and some term such as "counter-Communist subversion" or "limited war in defense of freedom" should be substituted in its place.

Of 94 participants from member agencies of the Special Group, 7 were from CIA. I was the Agency's principal conferee; other conferees were Maj. Gen. Anthis (SACSA, JCS), Maj. Gen. McGehee (Director of Training, USAF), Brig. Gen. Watkins (TAC Training, USAF), Bryan Battey (Director of Training, USIA) and Ambassadors McClintock, Thurston and Jones. Ambassador Kidder, the Coordinator, will make a summary report to the Special Group (CI).

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3. Voluntary Language Training Program

A study of the comparative costs of the Voluntary Language Training Programs of the Foreign Service Institute and the Agency's Language School indicates that the latter's cost per student hour is considerably below that of FSI. Howard Sollenberger, Dean of FSI's School of Language and Area Studies, reported his cost of just over \$2.00 per student hour, including all direct costs of salaries plus percentages of management and overhead. Using the same basis, our Language School's cost per student hour during this semester is running about \$1.36 but may rise as high as \$1.82 because of student drop-outs.

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4. Management Training

The next Management Course for GS-11 through GS-14 will be held 7-11 June [REDACTED] There are 21 students enrolled: 10 from the DDS, 6 DDI and 5 DDS&T. There are none from the DDP.

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5. Language Training

The Language School in agreement with EE will give a full-time German course beginning in November that will last 6 months--5 weeks more than normally--and a full-time Greek course that will start in August and run through May 1966. For the foreseeable future, there will be a requirement for a course in Greek each year. The School has also assisted SOD in setting up a Spanish-language program for after normal working hours.

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OTR (Internal) Attendance for Week of:

24-28 May

Category	FT	PT	Tut	Total
Operations	147	14	--	161
Intelligence	46	9	--	55
Communication	--	--	--	--
Management	67	--	--	67
Clerical	5	15	--	20
Communism	10	--	--	10
Language	66	168	--	234
VLTP	--	101	--	101
Tutorial	--	--	27	27
TOTAL	341	307	27	675

OTR (External Training)

Week of 24-28 May -- 346 Agency employees in 237
external courses or programs.

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